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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application of: Roehrig et al.

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Examiner: J. Patel

For: METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR
DETECTION OF SUSPICIOUS LESIONS
IN DIGITAL MAMMOGRAMS USING A
COMBINATION OF SPICULATION
AND DENSITY SIGNALS

Attorney Docket No.: 8498-027-999

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

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Sir:

Enclosed is a copy of a verified statement of Small Entity Status filed in connection with Applicant's Response to Notice of Missing Parts on January 6, 1999. The Examiner is asked to review his records for the statement of Small Entity Status. Alternatively, the Examiner is asked to give full effect to the enclosed copy.

Accordingly, Applicant hereby authorizes a charge of \$620.00 to Pennie & Edmonds LLP Deposit Account Number 16-1150 (Order No. 8498-027-999) for the issue fee. However, if this fee is deficient, or if any other fees are due, authorization is hereby granted to charge these fees to Pennie & Edmonds LLP Deposit Account Number 16-1150 (Order No. 8498-027-999). A copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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